



Introduction



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#YouSaid - What matters to you

Below are our beat priorities with updates as to what the team have done throughout **March 2025**.

Priority 1: **Anti Social Behaviour**

You said: Addressing issues with anti-social behaviour across the beat, particularly in the Newfound Pool area, such as problems with youths, criminal damage on Bonchurch Street, parking issues and misuse of public footpaths and pavements across the ward.

We did: This month we have been working with partners in the council to address parking issues in the Flora Street area. A joint visit to the location has been conducted with a view to solving the problem, potentially with the implementation of double yellow lines. Elsewhere on the beat joint enforcement is planned to address poor parking outside schools.

Priority 2: **Drugs**

You Said: Dealing with the production of class B drugs on the area, in addition to tackling the use and supply of both class A and B drugs in areas where this affects the local community.

We did: In February we executed 8 drugs warrants across the ward, including on Tudor Road, Pool Road, Ruby Street, Vaughan Street, Oban Street and Hawthorn Street. This work resulted in the seizure of over £485,195 worth of controlled drugs. One male was arrested, charged and remanded for 3 offences, and 4 prohibition orders were issued by our partners Leicester City Council to ensure dangerous properties are made safe before they are inhabited again. This work also resulted in us identifying four properties which had their electrics dangerously bypassed. These have been made safe to further protect neighbouring properties. So far in March we have also executed a drugs warrant on Beatrice Road resulting in the seizure of more illegal drugs. The electrics in this address were so poorly bypassed that the fuse box was smoking on Police attendance. Another dangerous fire risk property made safe for the community living in the locality.

Priority 3: **Acquisitive Crimes**

You Said: Bringing down acquisitive crimes, particularly theft from motor vehicles in the Newfound Pool area and further afield.

We did: We continue to target those intent on stealing from others across the ward. During this period we arrested a male suspected of using a cash card stolen from a motor vehicle on the ward. We continue to target prolific offenders via the use of stop searches or arrest where grounds exist.

What we are doing



Plants that were found inside a house being used for a cannabis grow.



An example of bad parking down Flora Street where road markings are being put in place by Leicester City Council.

As mentioned, the team have been busy conducting warrants over the last couple of months. This has resulted in clearance of cannabis grows and properties made safe. Cannabis grows are a fire hazard as the electrics are bypassed in the property. Once these properties are made safe, cleared and refurbished, these can be used for families in the area.

As a beat team we will continue with our enquiries into further potential grows. If you do find a property to be suspicious with suspicious behaviour from persons, as an example taking delivery of large quantities of plant pots, soil and feeder, also persons turning up at unusual times of the day and night then please report this to us via 101, through the Leicestershire Police website or in person at one of our engagements.

Officers have put a closure order in place for a flat at Frederick Jackson House due to the property being used for drug takers. This has been boarded up by the council, and a residents meeting was taken place where ourselves and Leicester council have listened to people's views and any changes that could help in the future. We are happy to report that residents are very happy with this outcome.

Complaints have been raised by local residents of dangerous parking and blocking driveways around Flora Street. We have had a meeting with the council and yellow lines are to be put in place and 'no loading' bays to help prevent the parking issues.

Confidence Survey



Your Views Survey



Upcoming Community Engagements

Engagements booked in for the end of this month and April so far. Please keep a look out on our Facebook page and Neighbourhood Link for other events that will be booked.

31/03/2025 - 17:30 until 18:30 Aldi Woodgate

15/04/2025 - 11:00-12:00 St Andrews church coffee morning

23/04/2025 - 11:00-12:00 Fosse Neighbourhood centre Mantle Road

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